

EARNST APPEALS FOR PARTY UNITY

Political Differences Should Be Lost Sight of in the Coming State Election.

SPEAKERS URGE HARMONY

Candidates Mead, Slack, Foster, Powell and Peck Tell What the Republican Party Stands For.

A republican rally was held Thursday afternoon in the City Hall, beginning at two o'clock. City Attorney Martin S. Vane presided as chairman. Among the speakers were Dr. John A. Mead of Rutland, Congressman D. J. Foster, and various other candidates for office on the republican ticket. The principal subjects of discussion were the performance of the republican party in the past, and promises for the future.

Dr. Mead, candidate for governor, was the first speaker. Dr. Mead said that the political differences of the various sections of the State should be lost sight of in the coming election and that the party should be united in one aim, that of putting a large republican majority in September.

Dr. Mead said that he was glad to see a few democrats present and he hoped that they would to good republicans as the rest of the assembly before the end of the afternoon. He then went into the history of the two great parties.

REPUBLICANS SAVED NATION.
Before 1860 the democrats stood for the preservation and extension of slavery. The republican party, which came into power in 1860, was directly opposed to this. It was born in 1860 and from 1860 has directed the destinies of the nation, in a large part.

In 1860 the United States had a population of 30 millions of people, the army was demoralized, the navy scattered to the four winds, and the country was on the verge of rebellion. The republican party pulled the country through this crisis.

In regard to the recent election within the party, he said that it was a good thing to have matters stirred up once in a while. The republicans will come out of their present troubles better and stronger for having gone through them.

The revision of the tariff is a matter that must be gone about slowly and cautiously, that all may be benefited. It cannot be done hastily. The influence of the press is great, there is no end to the amount of good it can do in disseminating truth among the people.

WHAT FOUR VOTES WILL DO.
Organization is also one of the great factors in the strength of the party. Some one has suggested that if an extra four voters were got out for the coming election in each town it would mean an extra thousand majority for the republican party. If the vote is not large this year the number of delegates will fall off and the towns giving low returns will injure themselves.

Dr. Mead thoroughly endorsed President Taft and his administration. President Taft is honest and sincere in his endeavor to do the best for the country. The republicans should stand by him by giving a large majority in this State in the coming election. Vermont is the only State in the Union that has never had any republican representative, or senator, or governor, since the organization of that party. Dr. Mead concluded by saying that he was not speaking for himself but for the good of the party and the country.

GREATEST CRISIS SINCE WAR.
Congressman Foster was the next speaker. He said that never in the history of the country, since the Civil War, have we reached such a political crisis. There is great need for the conservation of sound common sense among the citizens of the United States.

This is an era of sectionalism. The people of the country underwent much awakening under President Roosevelt and his policies have become part of our national life (applause). We needed Theodore Roosevelt. But he has no patent on his policies. They now belong to the party. The men he selected to carry them out have done so.

The conservation of the national resources was one of Roosevelt's policies. Now 4,000,000 acres have been reserved by the government. The postal savings bank was another. That will shortly go into operation and the evil of small and unreliable banks, conducted by irresponsible persons, will be wiped out.

In the future of irrigation and reclamation, Roosevelt has been an earnest supporter. There has also been extensive legislation against the white slave evil. Never since the Civil War has there been a session of Congress which has accomplished so much as the last under President Taft.

Trouble within the party is only a sign of health and progress. The government has had to steer a middle course between the standpaters and the extreme insurgents. Mr. Foster said that Mr. Foster is going to speak here next week on free trade. If absolute free trade were in effect every planing mill in the city would close down. The cost of farm products to the consumer would not be lowered. Mr. Foster said that free trade would not help the laboring man but that it was a mighty good thing to talk.

L. P. Slack of St. Johnsbury, candidate for lieutenant-governor, followed Mr. Foster. Mr. Slack said that Vermont should not be a party to the election. He said that he was not personally worried about the results of the election.

WORTH MOUNTAINS OF GOLD

During Change of Life, says Mrs. Chas. Barclay



Grantville, Vt.—"I was passing through the Change of Life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms, and I can truly say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has proved worth mountains of gold to me as it restored my health and strength. I never forget to tell my friends what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me during this trying period. Complete restoration to health means so much to me that for the sake of other suffering women I am willing to make my trouble public so you may publish this letter."—MRS. CHAS. BARCLAY, R.F.D., Grantville, Vt.

No other medicine for woman's ills has received such wide-spread and unqualified endorsement. No other medicine we know of has such a record of cures of female ills as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It costs but little to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and, as Mrs. Barclay says, it is "worth mountains of gold" to suffering women.

but that for the good of the party he wanted to see a big majority. Mr. Slack spoke of the need of encouragement for industrial education in the common schools, such as manual training and domestic science. He expressed himself as highly in favor of this department from the old methods. He also advocated improvement of the highways as one of the methods of keeping young men on the farm, and he believes in an employers' liability act.

POWELL URGES PARTY UNITY.
Max L. Powell was called upon. He said that the common hope that a good majority would show up at the election. He said that despite any division of the party that might have appeared in campaign he hoped that it would be united at the polls.

J. E. Cushman, tax commissioner, gave some interesting figures about the State finances. He showed how much of the State's money is expended, and also the great increase of wealth in the State in the last ten years.

H. S. Peck, candidate for city representative, followed Mr. Cushman. He urged that the various members of the republican party work together for victory. He said that every voter was a member of the government corporation and as such should take a direct interest in the politics of his country and his State.

BILLY SULLIVAN OF THE WHITE SOX
Smothers Force of 200 Pounds in Mitt.

Washington, Aug. 25.—Billy Sullivan, star catcher of the Chicago American League club, caught three balls thrown from the top of the Washington monument yesterday. Each ball dropped 54 feet and traveled that distance in about 5.12 seconds. During the last second it traveled about 175 feet and struck Sullivan with a force of 200 pounds, approximately.

Sullivan was not in uniform, but wore a backstop's ordinary "mitt," a cap and spiked shoes.

Since Charley Street, then catcher of the Washington team, managed to hang on to a ball tossed from a window at the top of the monument in August, 1906, about every catcher with a visiting team has wanted to try the stunt. As the attempt is attended by no little danger, Col. Spencer Cochrane, superintendent of public buildings and grounds, has refused to grant permits as often as requested. Sullivan got a permit to make the attempt about this time last summer, but the affair received too much notice and the crowd on top of the monument was too large and noisy for comfort. So Sullivan postponed the performance until this morning, when, in company with members of the "White Sox" and the "Senators" and some personal friends, he made the trial.

Eddie Walsh, the Chicago pitcher, climbed the 54 steps to the top of the monument, tossed a ball over his shoulder and fired the ball over the side as an experiment. It fell like a plummet; Sullivan did not try to catch it. The wind freshened and the conflicting air-currents around the top of the lofty shaft carried the next twenty-three balls Walsh threw down out of Sullivan's reach.

He got under the 26th ball, smash; it stuck to his mitt.

"I'll keep that," said he, and put it in his pocket.

"Doc" White, the "White Sox" pitcher, had wearied of chasing the balls the way carried away and was seized with an idea. He would counteract the effect of the winds by throwing the ball at high speed away from the top of the shaft. Reaching the top, White stood well within the pyramid and fired the balls toward the south as an experiment. It fell like a plummet; Sullivan did not try to catch it. The wind freshened and the conflicting air-currents around the top of the lofty shaft carried the next twenty-three balls Walsh threw down out of Sullivan's reach.

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ENGINE CRUSHED THE PULLMAN CAR

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CAUSE OF WRECK A MYSTERY

Grand Trunk Engineer Was Working under Locomotive When Another Train Ran Him Down.

Durand, Mich., Aug. 25.—Superintendent Ehrke of the Grand Trunk railroad gave out a statement to-night that six passengers were killed, five were injured and eight escaped without injury in the Grand Trunk rear end collision, three miles east of here late last night, when the Pullman car Nebraska, in east-bound train No. 14, was demolished and set on fire by the locomotive of passenger train No. 4.

Following is a detailed list of the killed and injured as given out by the railroad officials:

The dead: James McKeon, Chicago. Mrs. Alma Woodford, on route Bel- field, N. D., to Port Huron, Mich. Nurse accompanying Mrs. Woodford from St. John's hospital, Halifax. Mrs. Katharine Squires, residence unknown. Harold Squires, 16 years of age, son of Mrs. Squires. Mrs. E. M. Gilpin, Chicago. The injured: Mrs. Leslie Doehner, Lavista, Ontario, (probably meant for Tavistock, at Flint Junction). Albert H. Warts, Edmonton, Alberta, at Flint Junction. Mrs. J. H. McKeon, Chicago, mother of James McKeon, who was killed. Mrs. B. A. Shaffer, Chicago. Alton A. Davis, Montreal, son of Mrs. Woodford who was killed. George Nelson, Bremen of the second train, probably fatally struck.

Ter Mitchell, engineer of the rearward train, crushed, near the engine, was under his engine requiring the air brakes when the collision occurred.

The forward engine, No. 14, had stopped because of an accident to the air brakes and Engineer Mitchell had crawled under his engine to locate the trouble.

The locomotive of the second, No. 4, ploughed half way through the sleeper Nebraska and the locomotive's front end fired to the rear. The passengers in the rear berths had not the slightest chance to escape and those not killed by the crashing timbers were burned to death in the fire that followed.

The cause of the wreck is veiled in mystery and an inquest will be held by Coroner Patchou.

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Montreal, Aug. 25.—The preliminary investigation of the collision of two passenger trains near Durand, Mich., last night, another official statement has been issued by the Grand Trunk railway company.

All blame is placed on the engineer of the New York train, who failed to heed the signals. After the Montreal train was stopped, the flagman went back a half mile, signalled with his red lamp, placed the torpedoes and after they exploded had to hurry off the track to prevent his being run down. Passengers on the Montreal train say its rear lights were burning clearly. They also heard the torpedoes explode before the awful crash.

The railway officials are busy on a more thorough investigation.

BIG PARADES PLANNED.
Rutland Merchants Are to Have Carnival during Fair Week.

Rutland, Aug. 25.—The program has been completed for the merchants' carnival to be given here evenings during the week of county fair, September 5 to 10. The parade will be the biggest feature. On Monday night comes the procession of labor organizations, the auto parade in the evening, and in the afternoon an auto parade. The heads of the organizations say there will be 150 men in line. The parade Tuesday night will consist of fraternal organizations. Sixty-one merchants have already agreed to have floats in the mercantile parade of Wednesday evening.

For Thursday night an automobile parade is scheduled, competition being open to the State. A prize of \$250 is offered for the best decorated float. On Friday evening the fire department and ambulances will make exhibition runs. The fair lasts four days this year, opening Tuesday.

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A vote of appreciation was extended to the district superintendent, Rev. P. L. Dow, for his services in the past six years.

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RICH WOMAN IN A BAD PREDICAMENT

New York Customs Inspectors Say She Tried to Smuggle \$6,000 Necklace.

TAKEN TWICE TO HER CABIN

Over 50 Jewels That Mrs. Adriance Failed to Declare Are Said to Have Been Hidden in Her Hat.

New York, Aug. 25.—According to custom officials, Mrs. I. Reynolds Adriance of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., socially prominent and wealthy, will be summoned to appear at the customs house tomorrow to show cause why she should not be arrested on a charge of smuggling.

Arriving today on the White Star liner Baltic, customs inspectors say she failed to mention in her declaration of dutiable goods a \$6,000 pearl necklace, found after a search of her person hidden in her hat.

According to the customs officials, Mrs. Adriance mentioned no pearls, although submitting a carefully prepared declaration with unusual attention to detail, even the original invoices showing the exact purchase prices. She paid duty in duty, but the customs men were not satisfied.

While Mrs. Adriance, who had come here from Poughkeepsie to meet her, protested indignantly, Mrs. Adriance took a ship's cabin and searched by women inspectors, who found only a gold purse, which Mrs. Adriance insisted she had bought in this country.

She adhered to this statement, according to the customs officials, until Mrs. Marion Adriance exclaimed: "Oh, mother, why don't you tell them we got it in Europe. I wanted you to do that at first."

The mother then admitted the officials say, that the purse was purchased in Switzerland. She refused to give it up, but agreed to pay duty.

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NEW PASTOR WELCOMED.

Notre Dame of St. Johnsbury. Rev. E. C. Drouhin. St. Johnsbury, Aug. 25.—Notre Dame parish, which is one of the largest Roman Catholic churches in Vermont, and which has between 200 and 300 communicants, since their new pastor, Rev. Eugene C. Drouhin, from the Church of Our Lady of the Snows at Woodstock, a most welcome addition to the parish.

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AT SPRING GROVE CAMP.

Missionary Societies of Burlington District Hold Annual Meetings There. Vergennes, Aug. 25.—The services at the Spring Grove camp grounds are increasing in interest and numbers. This morning the Rev. H. C. Farwell of Fair Haven preached and the Rev. H. P. Kent of Williston followed with an address. In the afternoon the Missionary Home and Foreign Societies held their annual meetings. The services were largely attended and devotionals were present from all over the district.

Mrs. John Duffield of Troy, N. Y., gave an address before the Home Mission society and the Rev. J. G. Fisher of Vergennes, superintendent, spoke for the Foreign society. In the evening the Rev. Fred Sawyer of Panton preached and the Rev. J. G. Fisher followed with an address. Sunday morning the Rev. H. P. Stevens, D. D., of Rutland will preach and the speaker for the afternoon will be the Rev. C. L. Leonard, D. D., of Poughkeepsie, and in the evening the Rev. R. L. Thompson.

Among the pastors present here are the Rev. H. P. Kent of Williston, N. Y., the Rev. Peter Haller of Salisbury, the Rev. C. L. Leonard of Poughkeepsie, the Rev. J. G. Fisher of Vergennes, the Rev. H. C. Cobb of Vergennes, the Rev. Fred Sawyer of Panton, the Rev. H. P. Kent of Williston, the Rev. H. C. Farwell of Fair Haven, the Rev. W. R. Hyde of Hinesburg, the Rev. E. S. Brown of Starksboro, the Rev. G. D. Parker of Mendon and Pittsford, the Rev. H. P. Kent of Williston, the Rev. R. L. Thompson of Pittsford.

The Rev. C. H. Hawley of Saratoga, a former pastor in the district, had charge of the morning services.

RUTLAND CO. DEMOCRATS.

Heard Speeches by Watson and Hendon. Their Nominees.

Rutland, Aug. 25.—Two hundred people turned out for a democratic rally here to-night and heard speeches by Charles D. Watson of St. Albans, nominee for governor, the Rev. John B. Reardon of Springfield, nominee for lieutenant-governor and Patrick M. Meldon of Rutland, nominee for senator. The band was in attendance and there was lots of enthusiasm, especially at the entertaining remarks of Mr. Reardon.

Mr. Watson discussed the republican and democratic platforms, pointing out their similarity, and declared the use of money to secure nomination for public office, saying that it was a violation of the freedom of the press for a man using such methods. Mr. Reardon talked on the progressive tariff, advised industry to the common people and republican extravagance in Vermont. He charged Mead with having bought his nomination. Attorney Meldon discussed national issues.

EDISON PERFECTING TALK WITH MOTION PICTURES.
New York, Aug. 25.—With the announcement from the laboratory of Thomas A. Edison in West Orange that the inventor has at last reached the satisfactory solution of the problem of making moving pictures that talk the future of the moving picture business is a revolution. Mr. Edison's assistants, who have been laboring in Manhattan for some time to obtain satisfactory results with the device by recording the words as well as the actions of actors and actresses have at last succeeded in getting something of the results aimed at by Mr. Edison.

Heretofore the effort to reproduce the words of the stage folk has not been complete, as the machines have not been so arranged as to catch the speeches at all angles. This deficiency will be met with a more improved method.

"A few years will see an entirely new order of things in moving pictures," said Peter M. Weber, superintendent of the Edison works, in discussing the satisfactory demonstration of the machines before a committee representing the perfection aimed at, but these shortcomings will be speedily overcome and the moving pictures of the future will have a speaking effect that will accurately portray the setting work of a theatrical company giving a play.

HEALTH.
Sp says Mrs. Chas. Lyon, Peoria, Ill. "I found in your Foley Kidney Pills a prompt and speedy cure for backache and kidney trouble which bothered me for many months. I am now enjoying excellent health which I owe to Foley's Kidney Pills." J. W. O'Sullivan, 24 Church street.

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HEAVY.
Young Husband—"Did you make those biscuits, my dear?" His Wife—"Yes, darling." Her Husband—"Well, I'd rather you would not make any more, sweetheart." His Wife—"Why not, my love?" Her Husband—"Because, angel mine, you are too light for such heavy work."

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